

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

MEMO ENDORSED

ROBERT REINER,)

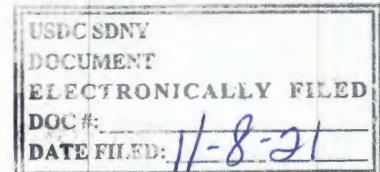
Petitioner,)

v.)

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES)
CORPORATION,)

Respondent.)

Civ. A. No.21-cv-8654

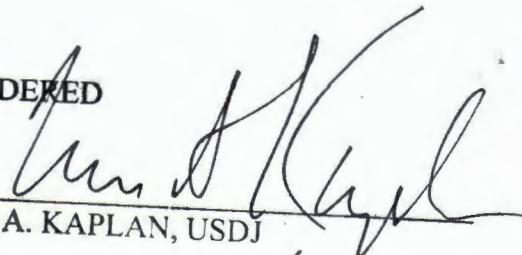
PETITIONER'S MOTION TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL

Petitioner Robert Reineri hereby moves, in conjunction with his Petition to Confirm Arbitration Award and Motion to Confirm, to file the Final Award (Exhibit 1 to the Petition (Dkt. 1) and Motion to Confirm (Dkt. 4)).

As explained in the Motion to Confirm, Petitioner is seeking to file the award initially under seal, since IBM's arbitration agreement contains a confidentiality provision. However, in his Motion to Confirm, Petitioner requests that the award be unsealed and made public.

Until IBM is able to respond to Petitioner's Petition and Motion to Confirm and the Court is prepared to address the issue, Petitioner requests that he be permitted to file the Final Award initially under seal.

SO ORDERED


LEWIS A. KAPLAN, USDJ

11/8/21

The motion is granted to the extent that Exhibit 1 to the petition and the motion to confirm (Dkt 4) are sealed until Dec. 6, 2021. IBM shall file any application to extend the sealing no later than 11/30/21.